

Your December city news

Merrysville for the Holidays!

Experience the magic of the season during Merrysville for the Holidays!

Enjoy musical performances; interact with live baby reindeer; explore outdoor vendors including nine delicious food trucks; see snow in the park; and take pictures with Santa.

Join us for the holiday festivities this Saturday from 4 - 9 p.m. in Comeford Park, 6th & State.

- 4 pm: Festivities begin with winter wonderland activities, vendors and food trucks.
- 6:30 pm: Electric Lights Parade features a flotilla of vehicles, floats and walking groups decked out in glistening holiday lights.
- Following parade (approx. 7:15 pm): Count down with Mayor Jon Nehring for the tree lighting in Comeford Park.



The parade begins at 6:30 p.m. and travels south on State Avenue from the former courthouse at 1015 State Ave. to Comeford Park. There is good word that Santa will be there, too!



Come hungry and ready to enjoy the tasty food and warm holiday drinks from food trucks available throughout the event: Big Red Truck, Black Sea Food Truck, Cascara Coffee Company, Dreamy Drinks, Kettle & Pop, Little Jamie's Mini Donuts, Meatheads Beer Works, QT Food Truck and The Food Atlas.

Thank you to event sponsors Coastal Community Bank and Village Concepts of Marysville Grandview Village.

Because large crowds are expected for this annual event, plan ahead for parking and traffic impacts on Saturday, Dec. 3. Please leave pets at home.

For more information, visit www.marysvillewa.gov/merrysville.

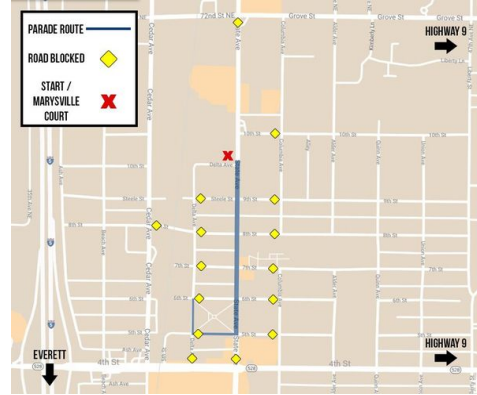
State Avenue closure for holiday parade Saturday, Dec. 3

On the evening of Saturday, Dec. 3, State Avenue

will be closed between 4th Street (SR 528) and Grove Street for the Merryville for the Holidays Electric Lights Parade. The road closure will start at 6 p.m. and last until about 8 p.m.

Plan ahead for heavy traffic in the downtown Marysville area and use alternate routes. During the closure, drivers can use 4th Street and/or Grove Street to reach 47th Avenue NE or Cedar Avenue.

The Electric Lights Parade begins at 6:30 p.m. at the former Municipal Court building, traveling south on State Avenue to Comeford Park.



MARYSVILLE CIVIC CENTER

open house



501 Delta Avenue

Tuesday, Dec. 13 | 4 - 6 p.m.

You're invited! Please join us for an open house at the newly opened Marysville Civic Center. See the public spaces and take a video tour of Police and Jail. Special guests from the Marysville Historical Society will be on hand to discuss the historic water tower in Comeford Park and our city's history.

Civic Center parking lots are located at 7th & Delta and 5th & Delta.

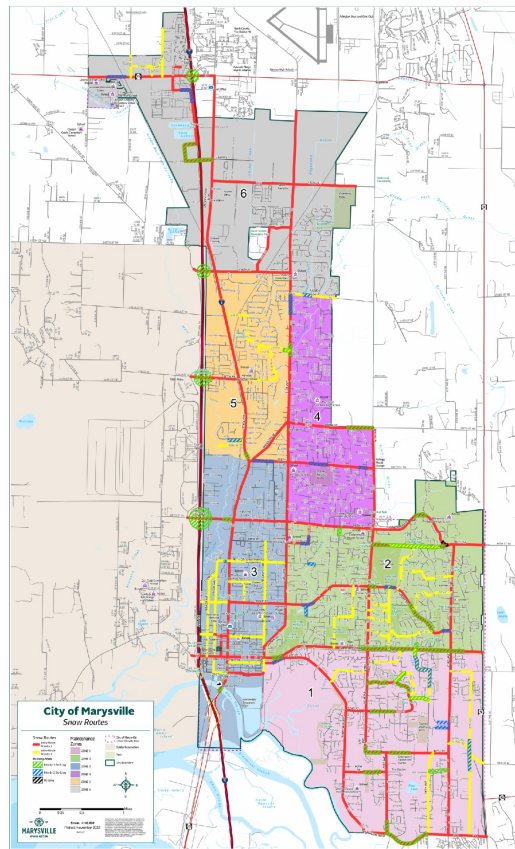
Street snow routes

During widespread snow and ice conditions, Street personnel focus their removal efforts on the following streets:

- Arterials leading in and out of the City
- Arterials located on hills within City boundaries
- Fire and police access
- All other arterials within City boundaries.

The City's **Snow and Anti-Ice Routes Map** included within the Control Plan illustrates the priority streets throughout Marysville where anti-ice liquid, plowing, and sand/salt application occur.

The priority routes are determined by considering topography (hills, sharp curves, etc), traffic volumes and special use by police and firefighters.



Marysville Cold Weather Shelter open

The Marysville Cold Weather Shelter is operated by LINC NW in partnership with the City of Marysville and Snohomish County, open from Nov 1 thru March 31 on nights where the forecasted low is 34 or less. Guest can check in from 7 to 9:30 p.m. at Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 7215 51st Ave. N.E.

Did you know that in November alone, the Marysville shelter was open to provide warm beds to people in need more often than in the whole past winter season? [KING 5 visited to tell the story.](#)

Youth age 12 - 17 who need shelter may call [Cocoon House](#), a nonprofit serving homeless and at-risk youth in Snohomish County, at 425-877-5171.

Care to ring a bell?

Mayor Jon Nehring has kicked off [The Salvation Army of Marysville/ Tulalip's](#) bell ringing at the Marysville Fred Meyer. He did so with Executive Director Jenny Roodzant and other bell-ringers, including the Grinch himself.

Volunteer to ring for the red kettles by calling 360-926-2228.



Marysville Police Department

Detectives arrest suspect in connection with 1998 cold case murder

MPD detectives have arrested a suspect in connection with the 1998 murder of 19-year-old Jennifer Brinkman.

"Solving this case has been at the top of the priority list of the Marysville Police Department for the past 24+ years," stated Police Chief, Erik Scairpon.

"We never gave up, or put this on a shelf. It was continuously being investigated, with the belief that we would one day be able to bring some level of closure for the family and justice for Jennifer."

[Click to view full press release.](#)

MPD extends thanks to several agencies for their support and assistance in this case, including the Washington State Patrol Crime Lab, Renton Police Department, Seattle Police Department, and Redmond Police Department.



[Click to watch full press conference](#)

MPD officers reunite family with stolen U-Haul, recovering box of newborn memories

A 15' U-Haul Cargo Van was stolen in the early morning hours of Nov. 22 while parked outside of a Marysville hotel. The U-Haul contained all of the family's belongings when it was taken.

Helpful tips and information from the Marysville community led MPD investigators to the U-haul in Granite Falls, reuniting the family with sentimental items.

High-five to Jake Dowd for commenting on an MPD Facebook post with the tip that led to this van.

Kudos to Officer Gwen Morasco for going the extra mile to close this case, and to the [Snohomish County Sheriff's Office](#) for assisting in the recovery.



Warmth of Giving: Thank you for donating to the MPD Coat Drive!

We can't thank you enough for donating to MPD's Coat Drive!

With your generosity, officers were able to collect more than 400 coats as well as numerous gloves, scarves and hats for [Marysville Community Food Bank Toy Store](#). The Coat Drive also raised more than \$820 in donations that will go towards buying additional coats for families in the community.

Thanks and appreciation to [Washington State Patrol](#) District 7 for helping officers collect coats and winter clothing during this event.



Welcome to MPD!

Congratulations to the new Community Service Officers and Custody Officers joining MPD to serve the Marysville community!

Mayor Jon Nehring performed the swearing-in ceremony for each officer alongside Chief Erik Scairpon.

Community Service Officers:

- Tyler Miller
- Emily Delanty

Custody Officers:

- Lucas Wheeler

- Brittani Ottulich
- Kelsy Kowing

All of MPD's new custody officers bring experience from other jurisdictions.

Career openings are available, and now is the perfect time to set your new year's career resolution!



We are hiring! Apply to work for the City of Marysville

- **Community Service Officer**
 - Public Safety
 - Full-time regular, \$60,804.00 - \$77,208.00 Annually
- **Custody Officer - Lateral Level**
 - **\$5,000 hiring incentive!**
 - Public Safety
 - Full-time regular, \$5,416.00 - \$6,469.00 Monthly
- **Development Services Manager**
 - Public Works
 - Full-time regular, \$112,448.00 - \$141,052.00 Annually
- **Engineering Coordinator (NEW!)**
 - Public Works
 - Full-time regular, \$76,128.00 - \$95,472.00 Annually
- **Parks Administrative Associate (NEW!)**
 - Evening Shift
 - Parks, Culture and Recreation
 - Full-time regular, \$5,106.40 - \$6,404.67



- **Police Officer - Entry Level**
 - Police
 - Full-time regular, \$71,508.00 Annually
- **Police Officer - Lateral Level**
- **Seasonal Laborer - Janitorial Services**
 - Public Works
 - Seasonal, \$17.70 Hourly
- **Solid Waste Technician II (NEW!)**

- Up to \$20,000 hiring incentive!
- Police
- Full-time regular, \$6,622.00 - \$8,257.00 Monthly
- **Project Engineer** (min requirement EIT)
 - Public Works
 - Full-time regular \$95,328.96 - \$119,550.00 Annually
- **Seasonal Laborer**
 - Multiple departments
 - Seasonal, \$17.70-\$21.32 Hourly
- Public Works
- Full-time regular, \$29.46 - \$36.95
- **Streets Maintenance Lead I (NEW!)**
 - Public Works
 - Full-time regular, \$32.78 - \$41.13
- **Water Operations Technician II (NEW!)**
 - Public Works
 - Full-time regular, \$32.78 - \$41.13 Hourly
- **Water Quality Specialist**
 - Public Works
 - Full-time regular, \$32.78 - \$41.13 Hourly

Upcoming events



Marysville Police Department

TIP-A-COP

Applebee's, 3702 88th St. NE

Friday, Dec. 2 12 p.m. - 4 p.m.



Merrysville for the Holidays

Saturday, December 3

4:00-9:00 p.m. - Delta Plaza, 501 Delta

4:00 p.m. - Winter Wonderland Activities, Vendors, Food Trucks

6:30 p.m. - Electric Lights Parade

7:00 p.m. - Tree Lighting, Photos with Santa

Live Music with the Jimmy Vegas Band

Community Lights

Saturday, December 3-31

Community Homes and Businesses

AN ELVIS CHRISTMAS

SOLD OUT

Marysville Opera House
1225 Third Street

Sunday, December 4
2:00-4:00pm \$15
NO REFUNDS

FEATURING DANNY VERNON

www.marysvillewa.gov/parks 360-363-8400
Refreshments available for purchase

 **MARYSVILLE**
PARKS, CULTURE & RECREATION



BASKETBALL

GAMES FOR CHARITY

SUNDAY, DEC. 4

7 PM |  **MARYSVILLE POLICE** VS  **MARYSVILLE FIREFIGHTERS**

5 PM |  **TULALIP POLICE DEPARTMENT** VS  **TOYS FOR TOTS**

RAISING DONATIONS FOR SEATTLE CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL AND TOYS FOR TOTS

MARYSVILLE GETCHELL HIGH SCHOOL

Bring a toy to donate and receive a free raffle ticket!
All toys donated will go to Toys for Tots.

FOOTLOOSE FRIDAY

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 9
6:30-9:00PM

MARYSVILLE OPERA HOUSE
1225 3RD ST
\$10

Get boot scootin' on the dance floor.
30-minute instruction followed by open dance.
Refreshments available for purchase.
Register: 360-363-8400 | marysvillewa.gov





Your Elected Officials



L-R: Councilmembers Steve Muller, Tom King, Kelly Richards; Mayor Jon Nehring; Council President Kamille Norton; Councilmembers Mark James, Michael Stevens, Peter Condyles.

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